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1.116 Expedited Procedure  
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Applicants : Yoichiro Sako et al.  
Serial No. : 09/955,888  
Filed : September 19, 2001  
For : RECORD MEDIUM, RECORDING APPARATUS FOR RECORD MEDIUM, RECORDING METHOD FOR RECORD MEDIUM, REPRODUCING APPARATUS FOR RECORD MEDIUM, REPRODUCING MEDIUM FOR RECORD MEDIUM, AND DATA OUTPUT CONTROLLING METHOD  
Group A.U. : 2137  
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In response to the Official Action of July 29, 2005,  
Applicants respectfully request that the above-identified  
application be amended as follows.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of  
claims that begins on page 2 of this Amendment.

The Remarks portion begins on page 5 of this Amendment.